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THE CROSSING OF THE BAR SUNSET, AND EVENING STAR AND ONE CLEAR CALL.

May There be no Moaning at the
Bar When Life Goes Out
to Sea.

DR. IRA DILLER died at his home in York Springs on Monday evening of last week, July 12, of heart failure aged 35 years, 3 months and 1 day. He had been sitting in his office reading during the evening and about ten o'clock his brother Reuel saw him go out to the barn. When the doctor did not return by 10:40 his mother went out and found him lying prostrate. Medical assistance was summoned but it was found that the spark of life had fled. Dr. Diller was a student of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, the Medico-Chirurgical College, Philadelphia, and graduated from the Baltimore Medical College. He practiced his profession in this place for about ten years. He was a son of the late Dr. David Diller and was born and reared in York Springs. Funeral services were held at the house last Thursday morning with interment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Hanover, at 11 o'clock a. m. He was unmarried and is survived by his mother, Mrs. L. E. Diller, two brothers, Reuel and Orpheus, and one sister, Hypatia, all of York Springs.

JOHN L. WOLF, aged 73 years, for many years a druggist, died last Tuesday evening at the home of William H. Wolf, his son, in York, from the effects of swallowing a spoonful of laudanum which he had taken to relieve pain. Medical treatment was of no avail and he lingered in a comatose state for 30 hours before he succumbed. Mr. Wolf had been suffering from cramps and other internal troubles for the past week and was under the care of a physician. About 11:45 o'clock Sunday night, July 11, his son heard him walking around down stairs. As he came up the steps the son asked him what was the matter. The father said he was suffering from cramps and was looking to see whether there was any paregoric in the house. Monday morning the son looking into his father's room found him sleeping soundly. The father arose about 9:30 o'clock and showed more briskeness than usual in coming down stairs, but after getting down reeled about the room. About noon the family physician was sent for and to him Mr. Wolf stated that he had taken a spoonful of laudanum. The bottle from which he secured it was purchased, it is stated, by Mrs. Wolf, the daughter-in-law, about five years ago, and was used for toothache. There was still a half spoonful remaining in the bottle. It is supposed that Mr. Wolf being used to drugs, had knowledge that he could take a spoonful of laudanum with safety, but that the drug being old, had evaporated and the amount of opium left in a spoonful was greater than he thought. Shortly after noon, Monday, he lapsed into a comatose condition, from which he did not rally. Mr. Wolf was formerly a druggist at Mt. Holly Springs, Cumberland county. Besides his son he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Warren Lynch of York, and two sisters, Mrs. Jacob Reeser, East Berlin, and Mrs. Ellen Myers, Abeline, Kan.

SCOTT BERKHEIMER of Carroll township, York county, passed away last Wednesday morning after an illness of about a month, caused it is believed by heavy lifting. Mr. Berkheimer was a farmer practically all his life and was a hard-working, upright man. He was a member of the United Brethren Church and was of great assistance in church work by reason of his exceptional musical talent, being a good singer, and he was also able to play practically any instrument. He is survived by his wife, who, before her marriage was Miss Ella Livingston, four daughters, Mrs. Ada Markley of Gettysburg, Miss Laura of Harrisburg, Misses Esther and Pearl at home, and his father, Mr. Henry Berkheimer of Dillsburg, and a sister, Mrs. E. L. Esinger of Saxton, Pa. He was aged 53 years, 5 months and 7 days. The funeral was held Saturday morning with interment at Churchtown cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. W. M. Beattie of the United Brethren Church and Rev. G. H. Eveler of the Rossville Lutheran church.

WILLIAM F. ATKINSON, for many years employed as a salesman with George W. Kirwan & Co., haberdashers of Baltimore, died at midnight Monday of last week at his home in Baltimore. He had been ill for nearly two years with a complication of diseases culminating in paralysis two weeks ago. His widow, who was Miss Lillian D. Hawse, of Harrisburg, Va., and a son, William F. Atkinson, Jr., survive. Mr. Atkinson was 52 years old. He was a member of Jerusalem Lodge of Royal Arch Masons. His father was a stone cutter, who did considerable work on the Maryland stone in the Washington Monument at Washington and received a prize for the best dressed stone used in the construction of the shaft. The family lived in Gettysburg for a number of years.

JOHN HENRY FICKES died at his home in Hanover, Monday, July 12, after an illness of several months from Bright's disease, aged 78 years. Deceased was a son of the late Abraham Fickes, of near York Springs, and was married about 40 years ago to Miss Sallie Yeagy, daughter of the late John

Yeagy of near this place, who survives him, with two daughters, Mrs. Cora Brockley of Hanover, and Miss Electa Fickes at home. One brother P. A. Fickes, and one sister, Mrs. S. C. Miller, both of Hanover, also survive. Mr. Fickes was a retired farmer who moved from Hampton to Hanover five years ago. Funeral last Thursday, services at the home and interment in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Revs. Dietrich and Heilmann officiating.

MISS GRACE BISHOP died at her home in Greencastle, Pa., on Monday July 12, in her 48th year. She was related to the well known Bishop family of Littlestown. Four brothers survive, Dr. S. S. Bishop, Harrisburg; Dr. Merle Bishop, Hanover; Dr. S. P. Bishop, Carlisle, and Storrs M. Bishop of Schenectady, N. Y.

LOUIS RILEY, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Riley died at his home in Cumberland township on last Wednesday, July 11, from scarlet fever aged 3 years and 3 months. The funeral was held on following day with interment at Marsh Creek German Baptist graveyard.

ALFRED R. LOGAN, a well known resident of Butler township, near Table Rock died at his home on Wed. of last week, being a victim of the great white plague. He had followed farming for a number of years but had been living retired for some time. The funeral was held on Friday, interment at Bender's Church. He is survived by his wife. He was a native of Cumberland county and last of his family, the only near relatives being a nephew Otis Logan of Table Rock and a niece, Miss Maggie Hefelbower, of Newville.

MRS. CATHARINE METCALF, widow of the late John Metcalf, died at the Aged Woman's Home in Philadelphia Wed. morning, July 14, and body was taken to Hanover last Friday. The funeral was held at Blair's Meeting House, where interment was made, Rev. Geo. W. Faus conducting the services. Mrs. Metcalf, after her husband died about 11 years ago, conducted a boarding house in Hanover. Three years ago she went to Philadelphia. She is survived by three brothers, Cornelius Klepper of near Dover, York county, David of Ohio, and John Klepper of York, and two sisters, Mrs. Susan Staub of near New Oxford, and Mrs. David Crone of near Dover.

On July 9th the four year old child of Mrs. Lewis of Detroit, Michigan, died at Harney. The child had been in delicate health for a long time and the Detroit physicians advised the parents to take it to the country, where it would have purer air and more exercise. Upon his advice, Mrs. Lewis decided to come home and visit friends in this section. After arriving at Augustus Morelock's at Harney, to spend some time with her sister, the child became worse and a physician was called in. After a short time the disease developed into diphtheria. The remains were interred at Mt. Joy cemetery, on Saturday morning, July 10, without any services being held. Mrs. Lewis was a Fleagle, youngest daughter of Mrs. Geo. McGuigan of Harney. Her father, the late Benjamin Fleagle, was a well known miller of that section for a number of years.

EMANUEL HAWN, a well known citizen of Carroll county, Md., died on July 10, from dropsy, aged 70 years, 3 months and 16 days. He was a Civil War veteran and received nine wounds one a wound in the neck, received in the Battle of Weldon Railroad, Aug. 18, 1864. The ball entered just below the right ear and came out back of the neck where the skull rests on the spinal column. He lay unconscious about two hours on the field, between the two lines. At one time the Confederate lines were only eight or ten feet from him. The Union forces finally charged over his body and he was recovered by some of the men of his own company. He leaves a widow and children as follows: William of Carroll Co., Md., Samuel of Hanover, Pa., Mrs. Chas. G. Brown of Harney, Md., and Mrs. Annie E. Fuss of Hanover, Pa.; also one stepson, Levi D. Sell of Carroll Co., Md.

Mrs. JOHN W. ELISE, wife of the well known builder and contractor of Littlestown, died at her home on Wednesday of last week aged about 72 years. She had been suffering for some time but her condition was not considered dangerous. She had been confined to her bed for two weeks. The cause of death was said to be heart disease due to a weakened system. The funeral was held on Saturday, Rev. Father Kohl conducting the mass of requiem in St. Aloysius Church of which deceased was a devout member. She leaves besides her husband five children, Theodore at home, Mrs. Mollie Will of this place, Wm. Elise of Cleveland, O., Mrs. Jennie Keefe, of East St. Louis, Mrs. Lizzie Eckenrode of Middletown, Pa.; also one brother, Wm. Lausinger of Emmitsburg, Md. The deceased was a native of Littlestown, her maiden name being Annie Lausinger.

CORNELIUS NITCHMAN, a Civil War veteran and a pensioner, died at his home in Hanover, last Saturday, July 17th, after an illness of seven weeks. The deceased had been in ill health for more than a year, being a sufferer from asthma, which finally affected his nervous system. He was aged 73 years, 3 months and 6 days. Mr. Nitchman was a native of Adams County, having been born and reared in Reading Township, near East Berlin. After quitting the farm, he work-

ed as a day laborer in East Berlin for a number of years, moving to Hanover with his family about 16 years ago. He was a son of the late David and Barbara (Chronister) Nitchman, and was married to Miss Susan Heltzel, of near Bernaduan, who survives him, together with the following children: John H. and Charles Nitchman, of Baltimore, Mrs. Barbara E. Kirschman, of Reading, Mrs. George H. Forney, of Hanover, and William H. and Paul E. Nitchman at home. He was the last surviving member of his family. The deceased was a member of Co. 1, 56th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers, and served under Capt. Samuel H. Williams in the war of the Rebellion. The funeral took place on Tuesday, July 20th, services by Rev. A. M. Heilmann, of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church. Interment in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

MRS. MOLLIE I. GROFF died at the home of her daughter Mrs. E. B. Merrill, Denver, Colorado July 12th, after a lingering illness of several months, aged about 68 years. Mrs. Groff (nee Riley) has many friends in this county being a former resident of the county, also being a school teacher in early life. Her death will be much regretted by her many friends. She is survived by two children, Mrs. E. B. Merrill, Denver, and Marion of N. Y.

In Memoriam.

In sad remembrance of my husband, James Francis Becker, who departed this life two years ago, (July 16, 1907).

He will never be forgotten.
Never shall his memory fade;
Sweetest thoughts shall ever linger
Around his grave where he is laid.
Farewell, dear husband, may your slumber
Be as gentle as your love,
And when God calls me homeward
May we meet in Heaven above.
By his wife.

Big Day in New Oxford.

Last Saturday was a big day for New Oxford, being the occasion of the first annual county convention of the P. O. S. of A. A business session was held in the morning, electing the following officers: Past President, H. S. Sheetz of New Oxford; President, S. G. Spangler of Gettysburg; Vice President, H. W. Taylor of Arendtsville; Conductor, E. J. Bucher of Cashtown; Secretary, W. S. Houck of Heidlersburg; and Treasurer, C. L. Brown of East Berlin. The committee on rules and by-laws was H. A. Stock of Littlestown, Geo. D. Aughinbaugh of Gettysburg, and Geo. A. Miller of New Oxford. Gettysburg was chosen as place for the next meeting.

In the afternoon there was a big parade participated in by the visiting camps with full turn-out of the New Oxford camp. City Band of Hanover, Citizens' Band of New Oxford, the Red Men of Hampton in war paint and Indian regalia and other features.

A public meeting in Square followed parade. Rev. Geo. N. Lauffer delivering address of welcome. Addresses were delivered by J. G. Glessner, Esq., of York, Hon. W. H. Long of Hanover, and S. L. Kinsey of York.

Squire Hammers vs Buck.

Squire S. S. W. Hammers called upon us on Monday and said not a word of his encounter with a buck in the covered bridge over Marsh Creek near his home, but because the Squire does not mention the delicate matter does not detract from the truth of the assault made upon that part of the Squire's anatomy, so that he is more comfortable now standing than otherwise. Just what the buck's intentions were will never be made known as J. I. Hereter, hearing the commotion, interfered before the buck had completely shown his hand and it was with difficulty he could be persuaded to desist from punishing the Squire.

Broke Many Bones.

John Stevens of Butler township was badly hurt at his barn one day last week. He was standing on a wagon pulling up hay with a fork. The rope broke suddenly and Mr. Stevens was thrown from the wagon to the ground, sustaining the following injuries: Bone in hand broken, one wrist sprained, other wrist badly sprained, severe contusion about the face, bruises over various parts of the body and severe shock to entire system.

Band at Emmitsburg.

Emmitsburg had a big Old Home Week last week. Biggest event the town ever had. Many of our people visited the place. The Citizens' Band of this place had all kinds of bouquets thrown at them for the good music they contributed and plenty of it and our boys acquitted themselves in such shape that they received nothing but complimentary tributes from Emmitsburg citizens.

Picture Shows Can Remain Open.

The Wizard Theatre will not be compelled to close. The state inspector had ordered place to be closed and last Saturday had been fixed as last night to exhibit, but new instructions have gone out and the picture show rooms will be allowed to be arranged in best shape to fully protect the safety of patrons in case of fire or panic as the inspector shall approve.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Adams County will hold the twenty-third annual convention at York Springs the 28th and 29th of this month Wednesday evening and Thursday morning and afternoon. Further notice will be given next week.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS MEET TEACHER FOR THE COLORED SCHOOL ELECTED.

Contract for Cement Pavement at
York St. High School Building
*Given Out and Work Starts.

The school directors of Gettysburg held an adjourned session on Tuesday evening of last week. The special business of the meeting was to elect a teacher for the colored school. Miss Mary M. B. Curry, who had passed the examinations in the previous week very creditably, was elected teacher for the colored school for the next year. Every director voting for her. The salary was fixed at \$42.50 per month.

Certain repairs at the colored school house were discussed and the matter was placed in the hands of the Repair Committee to make.

Prof. Burgoon was present and a number of matters were considered. The assignment of schools as proposed at the July meeting was finally agreed to and teachers were to be notified. The Compiler has published this assignment of teachers to the schools.

The system of reports every six weeks was determined. Detailed reports will be given by the teachers every six weeks to be taken home and returned signed by the parent and reports are so arranged that they can be preserved by the scholars for the year.

The meeting closed in the midst of a stormy discussion. Director McDonnell asked for minutes of last November meeting to be read which was done. The question brought up was the giving of contract for bookcases for York street school building to Wm. H. Johns for \$200. After this bid had been received time for bidding was extended and Levi Diehl bid \$291.87. Mr. McDonnell contended that the first bid was for cases unfinished and latter finished while on the other hand it was stated that \$300 was all that was paid and that as contractor had not turned over building it was thought best to give him the work. In the midst of a wrangle a motion to adjourn carried.

The school directors have awarded the building of a concrete walk at the York street High School building to Chas. Lady. Work was begun on Monday. Pavements of required width will be placed on York and Hanover street side of property. Beginning at the eastern line of property and brought to a point in front of building where streets crossings will be placed and walks into the front door of the building. From the point where pavement stops cement curb and gutter will be built to point, and grounds will then be graded to this curb and planted in grass. The front will present an appearance when completed most attractive and pleasing, adding much to the neighborhood.

Court Business at Chambers.

Judge S. McC. Swope had disposed of following current court business at chambers in the past week or ten days:

Ida Troxel, Admr. of S. A. Troxel, was given authority to mortgage real estate of decedent for \$550 to pay debts of decedent.

The Security, Title and Trust Co. of York was appointed guardian of Samuel Theodore Wolf and Harry Curtis Wolf, children of Samuel Wolf, dec'd, and legatee under will of — Minter, an aunt, late of Hanover.

An order was granted to sell the real estate of J. E. C. Slaybaugh, late of Berwick borough.

The return of sale of property in McSherrytown of Louis G. Pfaff, deceased, as made by the executor, Henry J. Pfaff, to Mary Josephine Pfaff, for \$800 was confirmed.

Annie O. Bream and John P. Bream were discharged as administrators of Jos. W. Bream, dec'd.

Katie E. Sterner, widow of Jos. A. Sterner, late of Huntington township, asked for appointment of appraisers to set aside to her the \$300 exemption and Sebright Group and Harry Tate were appointed the appraisers.

A Novel Introduction.

The Dr. Howard Company have entered into an agreement with L. M. Buehler's drug store, by which a special introductory offer will be made of 25 cents on the 50 cent size of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia.

So remarkably successful has Dr. Howard's specific been in curing constipation, dyspepsia and all forms of liver trouble, that L. M. Buehler will return the price paid in every case where it does not give relief.

L. M. Buehler has been able to secure only a limited supply, so everyone who wishes to be cured of dyspepsia or constipation should call upon him at once or send him 25 cents by mail, and get 60 doses of the best medicine ever made, on this special half price introductory offer, with his personal guarantee to refund the money if the specific does not cure.

Train Hits Butcher Wagon.

Wm. J. Miller, proprietor of the Center Square Meat Market had a thrilling escape from death last week. He had been peddling meat through the country and was returning to New Oxford just as the mail train due here from Baltimore at 9:40, was coming into that town. Owing to the street being newly piked, which caused the wagon to make an unusual noise, Mr. Miller failed to hear the usual whistle

of the approaching train. When his horse was about to cross the tracks the engineer sounded the quick-danger signal and applied the emergency brakes, and at the same time the occupant of the wagon struck his horse with the whip, which caused the animal to make a forward plunge, not far enough, however, to clear the track, but fortunately, just far enough to save the man's life as well as the life of the animal. The engine struck the rear wheel of the wagon and turned it up endwise, and then turning upon its side. When the wagon was struck, Mr. Miller was thrown out into the side gutter and escaped with a few slight bruises. The animal was also thrown to the street but not injured. The horse and driver regained their feet about the same time and Mr. Miller caught him before he got away, dragging the wagon up side down for a short distance. The wagon was badly broken, meat, scales, book, etc., being scattered over the street.

Mt. Rock Barn Burnt.

A fire, the origin of which is a mystery, on Monday afternoon of last week destroyed the barn, chicken house and corn crib on the premises of Frank Storm, near Mt. Rock, this county. The blaze was discovered about 1:30 o'clock by one of the children who went into the yard for wood. Mr. Storm is employed at Hotel Centennial, and was not at home at the time. Simultaneously with the discovery by the child, the neighbors observed the blaze and rendered such assistance as they could while the volunteer firemen with the new apparatus of the Mt. Rock Fire Company made a prompt response. The fire in the meantime had gained such headway that it was found useless to try to save the doomed structure. They therefore confined their efforts to saving the dwelling house nearby.

The barn, 21x28 feet, was burned to the ground, together with the season's crops of hay, amounting to five or six tons; also a buggy, wagon, sleigh, feed and a number of other articles. In the chicken house Mr. Storm had about 25 hens hatching, half of the number being roasted alive. A cow was fortunately gotten out of the stalls before the flames reached that portion of the building. The barn was partially insured in the Munnasburg Mutual Fire Insurance Co., but Mr. Storm's loss will reach several hundred dollars.

Big Reformed Pen-Mar Reunion.

Thousands of members of the Reformed Church from Maryland, the District of Columbia, the two Virginias and Southern Pennsylvania, attended the twentieth annual Reformed reunion at Pen-Mar last Thursday. The large tabernacle which has a capacity of about 5,000, was packed and many were standing outside when the exercises began with Rev. Dr. J. A. Hoffheim, of Martinsburg, W. Va., presiding.

The exercises were opened with an invocation by Rev. Henry H. Appel, the newly elected president of Franklin and Marshall College. Rev. E. O. Keen, D.D., of Waynesboro, offered prayer. An address was made by Rev. Theodore F. Herman of Allentown, on the present influences of John Calvin. The benediction was delivered by Rev. J. A. Hoffheims, D.D., of Martinsburg, W. Va.

Miss Marion E. Gibson, York, Pa., a singer of unusual ability and soprano soloist of the choral society of Frederick, Md., rendered several selections while a duet that won much praise was sung by Miss Viola Broadbeck of Hanover, and Miss Jennie C. Ensminger of Manheim. The program concluded with a band concert, at the end of which an "all-college hour" was observed by an informal reunion of graduates and students of all institutions represented in the assemblage.

Rev. J. A. Hoffheims, D.D., of Martinsburg was chairman of the committee of arrangements and H. T. Weaver of this place was the representative from this section on the committee.

Presbyterian Pen-Mar Reunion.

At the Pen-Mar Presbyterian reunion on Thursday July 29th, the address of the occasion on "The Churches Opportunity," will be made by Rev. Charles Stetzel, "The Apostle of Labor." Superintendent of the Department of Church and Labor of the Northern Presbyterian Church, was born in the tenement house district of New York, sweat worker at eight, news boy, machinist, author, lecturer, and preacher; member of International Association of Machinists, director of Department of Christian Sociology in Bible Teachers' Training School, New York; chairman Committee on Church and Labor, federation of churches and Christian organizations, New York.

The music will be of the best character; solos will be sung by A. G. Shontz of Harrisburg, W. G. Underwood of Chambersburg, and Miss Rose McKeehan of Carlisle. There will be a trio by the Misses McKeehan, Dunkinson and Mowers of Carlisle, a number of beautiful selections by the Verdi Male Quartet of Carlisle, and a splendid orchestra program by the Premier Orchestra, under the direction of Prof. John C. Bohl. A college hour for a conference of those interested in this section will close the afternoon program.

For Rent.

The Welty property on York street with modern improvements. Immediate possession given. Inquire of Wm. & Wm. Arch. McClean.

GREAT BUSINESS PROSPERITY

EVERY LINE OF INDUSTRY ON
THE BOOM IN THIS COMMUNITY

The Railroads at this Place Doing
Biggest Business in their
History.

Business prosperity is being speeded these days in Gettysburg with a big B and a big P. The fact is that Gettysburg tells the business depression, of the past two years very slightly. Agriculture is so much the life of this place that when the farmers receive good prices for their crops and stock, there is sure to be little business depression in this community.

There are many causes besides good prices farmers are receiving for what they grow and raise to explain the present business prosperity. More people are regularly employed in Gettysburg at the present time than ever before. The Reaser Furniture Factory has been running on full time for many months with over sixty men and need more building room and more men.

The Gettysburg Brick Plant of the Auburn Shale Brick Company are now employing twenty-five men and are ready to double this force.

There are more men engaged in building operations at this time than has ever been so engaged in this place. The Ice Company has twice as many employees as ever before. The Shirt Factories are running on full time, the planning mills, the flour mill, the Keystone Straw Stracker Co., the foundry, all building material industries, in fact every line of industry is as busy as they can be and the situation is more growth.

Travelers are more numerous this year than before. Several big crowds that have already been here this year have contributed to the general prosperity. The number of tourists by automobiles is constantly on the increase and this is bound to grow for they will come to see what is always worth while seeing and to enjoy the miles and miles of magnificent roads.

The farmers are enjoying a greater prosperity than ever before for in addition to the good prices they have the opportunity of developing the dairy side of the farm to its fullest extent, because there is ready market for every pound of milk they have to sell. At the milk station, in charge of Edward Oyster of the Kelly & Oyster firm, from four to five tons of milk are received every morning. One hundred and twenty-seven farmers have been taking their milk to the station every day. The monthly checks to the farmers run from \$25 to over \$100. One farmer for a number of months last winter from eleven cows received a monthly check of over \$100. This means good ready cash to the farmer, which is distributed in part to our stores and to our banking institutions. Between \$3000 and \$4000 is monthly paid to the farmers at the milk station for their milk. In addition about two tons are daily sold to the Ice and Storage Company, a good portion of which is made into ice cream.

Another evidence of prosperity is that the railroads are doing more business than ever done before, and there is no better way to gauge the business prosperity of a place. In the month of June the Reading and Western Maryland handled over 1700 loaded cars, and this was over 400 more than in the month of June of 1908. In the last three months over 4500 loaded cars have been handled. Of course the greater part of this simply passes through the town, transferred from one road to the other. But of this number about 150 are unloaded in this place each month and about 50 loaded cars are sent away from here each month. Time was when it was an event to have a single loaded car come into this place and that was not a daily occurrence. Stop and think what all this freight business means.

The loaded cars leaving this place at an average of nearly two a day, take away grain, furniture, ice, milk, ice cream, bricks, flour, lumber, produce of all kinds, and this means a flow of money back to town, to be distributed for labor and material, all of which helps to keep things moving in the circle money travels and which spells Business Prosperity.

Wagon Goes Over Head.

Earl Staub, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Staub of near New Oxford is recovering from an accident in which a wagon passed over his head. The men engaged at hauling grain to the barn had pushed the wagon, (a low-down with iron wheels), from the barn floor and the boy was in the rear attending the brakes. In descending the steep bank the young man slipped and fell, his head being caught under the rear wheel, and he was shoved for about eight feet before both wheels of the one side of the heavy wagon passed over his head, cutting a gash across the one side of the head to the bone, that required ten stitches to close.

FESTIVAL. — Rocky Grove S. S. Straban township, will hold its annual Festival, Saturday evening, July 24th. If weather is unfavorable Monday following. All are cordially invited.

FOR SALE—Two good saddles, an Army Saddle and a gentlemen's saddle. Inquire at this office.

Read the Compiler.

THOUGHTS AND THINGS

SONG OF THE WORK OF HANDS
OUTLIVING THOSE HANDS.

Message of the Old Hand Made
Things and Some of Them
Recalled.

The Work of Their Hands.

Ab, where went those feet whose fugitive prints
Scarce yet has the ripple erased
from the sands?
And the work of the hands that were
folded long since—
How long, oh, how long it outlasteth
those hands!

The canvas yet blooms with indelible
tints:
In its niche the presence in marble
yet stands:
The work of the hands that were fold-
ed long since,
How long, oh, how long it outlasteth
those hands!

There hangs the shield with memorial
dints:
There the flower of an hour in the
casement expands:
But, folded last eve or folded long
since,
Here are the deeds of the hands—
but the hands?

We yet eat of their stores, we yet drink
of their vint;
Lo, the vines that they pruned: lo,
their own furrowed lands!
But, folded last eve or folded long
since—
The work, oh, how long it outlasteth
the hands!

The toy of a child, a garment of chintz—
How well such a trifle time's ruin
withstands:
The work of the hands that were fold-
ed long since,
Ah, God! how long it outlasteth the
hands!

But folded last eve is folded long since.
The fire when once out, how cold
are the brands!
Is there aught that was theirs, that
can trace them, that hints
Through the work of the hands where
to reach for the hands?

EDITH M. THOMAS.

The old hand made things have their
message and every community that
can gather them into a museum has
an institution worth while. The be-
ginning made in Gettysburg by the
local Chapter of the Daughters of the
American Revolution should be sup-
ported and donations of the old things
be made so that their message can be
focused as it were and given an on-
ward impetus.

It is an easy thing to wonder and
laugh at the old things that were the
implements used every day by our
grandparents. They look outlandish
and out of date. As mere relics they
may have little value, but for what
they teach they are always worth
while. Many of them are well made
and give the message that what is
worth doing is worth doing well, for
they come from the hand made age
when things were made durable. They
tell the story of Yankee inventiveness,
how the mind of the frontiersman of
the world under the spur of necessity
became the mother of comforts and
conveniences of today. They speak
eloquently of their own time and con-
trast it with the time of today that the
latter may know what it has sprung
from. In speaking language they say,
we are the tools and implements of
your ancestors with which they toiled
from sunrise to sunset for a bare exis-
tence, we developed the gray matter
that invented us out of existence, we
are the mile stones telling the story of
the progress of humanity. We are the
proof that positive achievement is the
price of labor. No one ever made
headway in any other way than by
work and every mute testimonial relic
of another age is a reminder of what
has been won by human toil and an
inspiration of what can be won in the
same way.

A recent writer in the Philadelphia
"Record" says:

Modern progress cannot be exem-
plified anywhere better than among
the Pennsylvania German farmers,
who settled that rich agricultural belt
in Eastern Pennsylvania and where
today may still be found many crude
instruments used in the early stages
of settlement in this region, relics that
are eloquent witnesses of improve-
ment.

One hundred years ago, for instance,
the Pennsylvania Germans knew noth-
ing of glass nursing bottles. As a sub-
stitute for this later invention, they
used a small can, made of the very
best tin, with a thin protruding arm or
tube on one side. This tube went into
the inside of the can, very near to the
bottom. The cans were filled with
sweetened milk, and our grandmothers
received their nourishment from them.
Those early tinsmiths had their own
name for them, and called them
"Mam," which meant mother. While
the "Mam" had no nipple attached to

it, it had a knob at the end of the spout,
so that the baby could hold it more
securely in the mouth. Hundreds of
these tin nursing cans were in use in
the homes of those pioneer farmers,
and the mortality among children
seems to have been no greater then
than now, with every practical scien-
tific invention in reach of every
mother.

Some of the old grandmothers of
this sturdy race recall today the time
when every August they helped to
pull the flax out of the ground by the
roots, tying the same in bundles three
or four inches in thickness, stacking
12 bundles to a heap. When it was
dry they carried it to the floor of the
large Swiss barn, where they used the
"Floxbrithel" or a flail to thresh it.
After this it was again tied in bundles,
put away until winter, then taken out
again and placed on a dryer—a few
poles put up and on them cross pieces.
Old stumps were used as firewood.
From here it went to the "floxbrithel"
and was crushed until the fibre of the
flax was exposed. Then it was placed
on the "schwingmill" and cleaved of
the woody part of the flax. Next it
was drawn through the "flax-hackle,"
and what was taken out of this flax-
hackle was called "tow" and the
straight part "flax." The tow was re-
moved to the spinning wheel and spun
into a kind of rought thread, which
was woven into goods about four and
a quarter yards wide, to be used as
chaff bags, grain bags and some for
clothing. The finer part or flax was
spun into finer thread, woven into
goods and so used for pillow slips,
table cloths, napkins, towels, thread
and other household articles.

Much of this better grade of old linen
is found in many homes among the
Pennsylvania Germans, some today as
good as new, though most of it was
made 50 to 150 years ago. Chaff bags
that were made 70 years ago can still
be found on spare beds in some of the
Colonial farmhouses, as they seem to
be everlasting. The flaxbrech,
schwingmill, hackle and spinning
wheel are still found in many a farm-
house garret. Ex-Governor Pennypack-
er has a very rare collection of these
implements used by the Pennsylvan-
ia German forefathers, and they
are well taken care of in his home
along the Perkiomen.

About the first thing the early Penn-
sylvania German settlers did when they
arrived from the Palatinate
was to clear the land and culti-
vate it. After the trees were cut
down, the stumps had to be raised.
Stump pullers were at this period
more numerous than self binders are
to-day, and the active operation of the
former made the use of the latter
possible two centuries later. The
puller was constructed upon the rear
part of a heavy farm wagon, upon
which heavy beams were placed, on
which rested a frame resembling the
frame of a grindstone. On this were
fixed two large cogwheels, so arranged
that by turning the crank a powerful
pull could be given. When the horses
were started they usually walked
away with the stump dangling be-
neath the stump puller.

The first lamp used in the Pennsylvan-
ia German regions was the
schmutz omschel. Schmutz is the
Pennsylvania German vernacular for
fat or lard, which was used as oil for
those primitive lamps. Omschel is
the Pennsylvania German dialect for
a robin, the shape of which the lamps
resembled. A wick was inserted in
the base of the inside of the lamp,
which had a lid-like opening at the
top. Two wires were attached to the
lamp, one of them being bent in at
the end like a hook. This was used
to hang the lamp to a nail. The other
straight wire was brought into service
when it was desired to use the lamp
about the fireplace. Wire links
attached to the lamp were used to
clean the wick. These tin lamps were
in service long before tallow candles
became popular, although many of
the users never saw a tallow candle,
stepping right from the schmutz-om-
schel to the coal oil lamp.

A few years ago at an old-home
week celebration at Bernville, Berks
county, the village tinsmith, who had
conducted the tinshop for 60 years,
was called upon to make some articles
which he used to make when he was
an apprentice. After giving the mat-
ter much thought, he said: "I will
make an old time coffee pot, such as
my grandmother and mother used
when I was young." He tried hard
to get good tin. Tinware 50 and 100
years ago, say the old-time tinsmiths
to-day, was of much better quality
than now. He finally secured a lot,
which he thought was a fair sample
of what he used to use so many years
ago. The coffee pot he made holds
four quarts, and shows the very first
type used by the Pennsylvania Ger-
mans.

Darning the old woolen hose, by
grandmother, is as old as spinning
flax. While there are hardly any
grandmothers today who operate the
spinning-wheel, there are still quite a
number past the allotted three score
and ten years of life, who keep them-
selves busy with "strimp strickea,"
the term by which the Pennsylvania
German know the work of making
new woolen stockings. The operator
used foot-long needles.

Quite as old are the cradle and the
suckle to the farmer who used to reap
his wheat 70 years ago, when whisky
was used as freely as water by the
reapers, and the 9 o'clock farm lunch
was the rule, are the tools with which
grandmother used to make her butter,
by the side of the old spring-house
door; the old butter churn, of barrel
shape, the little tub for moulding and
the old beam scale. Of all the century
old inventions, the butter churn is one
of the few that you can still find
among some of the Pennsylvania Ger-
man farmers. The milk was put as

soon as brought from the barn-yard,
into earthen pots, which were placed
in the farmhouse cellar or in the cave.
As soon as the cream had settled on
top it was removed twice a week from
30 or 100 pots, and then placed in the
churn and turned and turned, until it
became butter. The housewife then
moulded it in the tub, added the re-
quired amount of salt and placed it
upon a round wooden mould, where,
with a wooden paddle, it was shaped
into pound patterns, round in shape,
with the marker's trade mark, a sheaf
of wheat, a picture of a dairy cow or
some agricultural emblem. It was
then ready for the farmer to take to
Philadelphia in the old-fashioned
Conestoga wagon. Hundreds of pounds
of butter are still made in this way,
regardless of modern creameries and
milk separators.

The Undesirable Mosquito.

Preparations should be made at
once to down the undesirable mos-
quito," is the suggestion made by the
Division of Zoology of the Pennsylvan-
ia Department of Agriculture. Mos-
quitoes carry the germs of disease
and there is no more potent dissemi-
nator of fevers. The utmost precau-
tions should, therefore, be taken to
keep the mosquito out of our homes.

As pools of stagnant water, cisterns
and cess-pools are breeding places of
mosquitoes, Prof. H. A. Surface, the
State Zoologist, recommends that all
tanks of water, cisterns, or vessels
which hold water, or which might be
filled with water after a rain, be cov-
ered, or screened with a screen of at
least 18 meshes of wire to the inch.
Standing water on lots or commons
should not be permitted. All shallow
lots should be drained and kept dry,
and post holes filled, old tin cans and
bottles emptied, and all breeding
places destroyed. All stables ought to
be provided with air-tight receptacles
for refuse, and this refuse should be
removed every week.

Where there are large natural bodies
of water which cannot be drained,
the surface should be disinfected and oil-
ed with kerosene at frequent and regu-
lar intervals. Kerosene is invalua-
ble in this connection, and it is also
good as a disinfectant. Chloride of
lime, or common copperas (sulphate
of iron) can be thrown into cess pools.
Even the water used in sprinkling
carts can be charged with disinfect-
ants, and will prove a valuable aid in
keeping away the mosquitoes. The
proprietors of restaurants, meat mark-
ets, milk depots and bakeries should
be compelled to screen their premises
as well as all receptacles in which
water stands or food is kept and pre-
pared, in order to guard against mos-
quitoes and flies.

ON SATURDAY, JULY 24, 1909, John
Manherz will sell at Public Sale at
his residence in Fairfield his entire
possession of Real Estate and Personal
Property.

BUMPER HARVEST.

BARLOW, July 18.—The click of the
binder, heard for some time, is silent
and the golden grain cut and bound
into sheaves has been gathered into
barn and sheds. It was one of the
best harvests to gather we had for yrs.
on account of the dry weather.

The steam whistle can be heard in
all directions, and the yield of wheat
never was better in quality and yield,
as high as 24 bu. per acre. Rye is
good.

The gathering of the clover and
timothy will be satisfactory as the
crop in this section is good.

Oats will be next to claim the farm-
ers attention. It may not be so good
on account of the dry weather and the
extreme heat.

We are glad to say the growing corn
looks very promising.

Mrs. John Irwin and son, of Phila-
delphia, are visiting the former's pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. Worley Rudisill,
of this place.

Maurice Sharette, of this place, has
secured employment in the silk mill
at Littlestown.

ONLY ONE.

The Record in Gettysburg Is a Uni-
que One.

If the reader has a "bad back" or
any kidney ill and is looking for relief
and cure, better depend on the only
remedy endorsed by people you know.

Doan's Kidney Pills relieve quickly—
cure permanently. Gettysburg citi-
zens testify to this. Here is a case of
it:

Mrs. Elizabeth Beiter, 1 Steubwehr
Ave., Gettysburg, Pa., says: "I suf-
fered from kidney and bladder trouble
for some time and used a great many
remedies but did not succeed in find-
ing relief. The kidney secretions
were very irregular in passage, caus-
ing me much annoyance and severe
pains often darted through my body.
My health was in a run down condi-
tion when I heard about Doan's Kid-
ney Pills and I decided to try them.
I procured a box at the People's Drug
Store and they gave me prompt re-
lief. I do not hesitate to recommend
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and Children's SHOES, and in Men's
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Gettysburg, Penna

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ALL STRAW HATS
\$3.00 Hats Now - - \$2.00
2.50 " " - - 1.75
2.00 " " - - 1.50
1.50 " " - - 1.00
1.25 " " - - 90c
1.00 " " - - 75c
75c " " - - 50c
50c " " - - 37c
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Building, Baltimore St.
John B. Maltch
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ter Square.
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moved to Gettysburg and resumed practice
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Compiler Office. All legal business entrusted
to him will receive prompt and careful at-
tention.

STRABAN TOWNSHIP
SCHOOL REPORT
Account of R. S. Sponseller, treasurer of
Straban township School District for the
year ending June 7, 1909:

RECEIPTS.	
Bal. from last year	\$31.70
State appropriation	1995.15
W. W. Miller, collector	2050.00
Borrowed in bank	800.00
Books sold	15.50
Bal. due treasurer	36.12
Total receipts	\$4914.42
EXPENDITURES.	
Teachers' wages	\$3045.00
Attending Co. Inst.	90.00
Repairing	93.45
Fuel	232.61
Cleaning houses and mow- ing yards	31.50
Text books	199.25
Copy books	19.68
Supplies	53.08
Fees of Treas.	94.85
Fees of Col.	73.25
Salary of Sec.	45.00
Fire insurance tax	22.46
Directors' convention	21.50
Stove shields	18.50
Paint and painting	121.60
Freight and express	6.86
Tuition	54.00
Auditors' pay and expenses of settlement	7.75
Publishing account	4.00
Interest paid	14.50
Note in bank paid	650.00
Other expenses	9.50
Total expenditures	\$4914.42

We the undersigned auditors of Straban
Township School District have examined the
above account and find it correct.
J. C. LIVESBERGER
C. J. WEANER
Auditors
Attest:—D. S. Reynolds, Sec.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
In pursuance of a writ of Levari Facias
issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of
Adams County, and to me directed, will be
exposed to public sale on SATURDAY, the
24th day of JULY, 1909, at 1 o'clock in the
afternoon at the court house in the borough
of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., the fol-
lowing real estate, viz.:
A TRACT OF LAND situated in Liberty
township, Adams county, Pa., on the public
road leading from the Tract road to the Em-
mitsburg road and is bounded and described
as follows: Adjoining lands of James Bolle
James Bowery and Daniel Shorb, improved
with a stable, fruit trees and good well of
water containing 17 acres more or less.
Seized and taken into execution as the prop-
erty of John Glacken's Heirs, James Glack-
en, Michael Glacken, Annie Glacken, Wm
Glacken, Loretta Crosby and Thomas Glack-
en, and to be sold by me.
ELIAS FISSEL, Sheriff.

For Sale
Studebaker
Turnunder Wagonette.
Light running, Oak
Body and the best of
wheels. Upholstered
and elegantly finished
with best top made.
Will seat six to eight
comfortably.
R. S. Clark.
Dillsburg, Pa.

Gettysburg Compiler
 Gettysburg, Pa.
 WEDNESDAY, JULY 21, 1909.
 Wm. Arch McClean, Editor.
 Subscription Price \$1.50 a Year.
 Advertising Rates on Application.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.
Associate Judges
 W. HOWARD DICKS
 of Reading township.
 LEO SNEERINGER,
 of Conowingo township.

Director of Poor
 JACOB GOODENBERGER,
 of Berwick township.

Jury Commissioner
 H. S. REIGLE,
 of Bendersville.

The citizens of every township are urged to get petitions in shape to have the court make orders for question to be voted on at next Spring election to abolish the road work tax. There isn't a township that can afford to lose the bonus of fifty cent on dollar to be paid by State on all cash road taxes.

To have Gettysburg ready for the 50th celebration of the battle, some improvement must be done each year. If our citizens want to do what should be done they can't wait until the last minute or much will be left undone. Get in line by building a cement pavement. Get rid of the billyow ones in the business portion of the town as quick as can be done.

Next Democratic Convention.
 The Democratic executive committee of the Democratic State committee will meet at the State headquarters in Harrisburg today (Wednesday), July 21, at noon to fix the time and place for holding the next State convention. While it is generally conceded that Harrisburg will be selected as the place for holding the convention, yet there is considerable diversity of opinion as to when the meeting shall be held, but possibly some time early in September.

During the day several district meetings will be held at different hours.

Merchants' Meeting.

The Retail Merchants' Association held their regular weekly meeting in the room over Blocher's Jewelry Store in the square on last Friday evening. The usual attendance was present.

A number of the members had visited Hanover, the same day E. P. Miller, H. T. Weaver, E. P. Wisotzky, Wm. F. Codori and Financial Secretary George L. Kieffer. They met about a dozen of the merchants of Hanover, who answered all questions asked, and explained in detail how the Hanover Association is conducted, and gave blanks and literature helpful to the local association. The members who made the visit gave a full report of what had been heard. The shape in which a delinquent list is put was explained, and among the first things to be attended to by the Gettysburg Association, will be such a delinquent list of people who do not pay and have no intentions to pay their bills, and can not be collected by legal process.

The matter of printed matter needed by the Association, blanks and so forth was then discussed and decided.

The Financial Secretary was requested to visit every merchant in the town this week, and urge all to become members at once, and place before them the many advantages that will accrue, and what the Association proposes to do. While a large number of our merchants have joined, yet the Association desires to have all of them members, united in the important work for the mercantile good of the community.

It is believed that if the merchants thoroughly understand the purposes of the Association, and practical beneficial work to be done by it, that they will not only join, but also attend the meetings, and help along the largest possible exchange of views and ideas.

The invitation of the Hanover Association to attend their annual picnic on August 10 at Eichelberger park was accepted. While the Gettysburg stores will not be closed on that day, yet a large number of our Merchants have expressed themselves, that it is their purpose to attend. The following is the program of picnic:

Music during the day by the K. of P. and City Bands.

Dr. Fleagle's Parlor Orchestra will give a concert from 4 to 8 p. m.

"King" Kelly will make two balloon ascensions—at 2 p. m. and 7 p. m.

Potato rolling race—12 young girls.

Ball throwing contest by girls.

Wheelbarrow race—young men.

Quot pitching contest.

Cracker and pie eating contests.

Peanut scramble, jumping, running and vaulting contests, etc.

One of the leading features will be the second annual "Baby Show." All babies entered in this contest will be in decorated baby coaches. \$10.00 will be awarded as the first premium \$5.00 the second, and \$2.50 as the third premium.

Arrangements are being made for two games of baseball by professional teams—one in the morning and another in the afternoon.

Lutheran Reunion Tomorrow.

The 23rd Annual Reunion of the Lutheran church will be held at Pen-

Mar tomorrow, Thursday, July 22. The following program has been prepared.

Part I—10 o'clock a. m. Concert by the famous Pen-Mar orchestra. John C. Bohl, Director; Overture, "Jolly Fellows," Supper: Flute Solo, "Romance," Terseback, John C. Bohl; Poem of Love, Battle, "Beneath Thy Window," Thiere; March, "Colonial," Hall; Traumerel, Schumann; Patriotic Medley, chorus choir and orchestra.

Part II—1:30 o'clock p. m. Invocation, Rev. G. W. Enders, D.D.; Hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name;" Apostles' Creed; Hymn, "Ein Feste Burg," (A mighty stronghold is our God); Address, "Our Great Lutheran Church," Rev. C. S. Trump; Anthem, "The Rally," chorus choir and orchestra; Address, "Our Lutheran Church at Work in America," Rev. L. C. Manges; Solo, Mrs. C. M. Eyster; Address, "Wanted—Men," Rev. J. A. Clutz, D.D.; Anthem, "Praise the Lord, Oh! Jerusalem," chorus choir and orchestra; Reunion business; Remarks.

Teachers Elected.

Cumberland Township School Board met at Hotel Gettysburg last week and elected the following teachers: Boyd, Miss Mary Bream; Granite, Miss Mable Bollinger; Round Top, Willis Appler; Willow Grove, John W. Black; Centennial, Miss Eliza Thomas; McCurdy's, Miss Mary Edizsill; Fairplay, J. Howard Bream; Belmont and Pitzers are still vacant. The seven teachers elected formed an organization for the purpose of holding monthly educational meetings. The following officers were elected for the coming school term: President J. Howard Bream; Vice President, John W. Black; Secretary, Miss Eliza Thomas; Treasurer, Miss Mary Bream.

Small Fire At Midway

A small summer kitchen at the home of Paul Weaver, three doors from G. W. Miller's Store, at Midway, took fire about 1 o'clock p. m. last Saturday from a stove in the kitchen. An alarm was sent to the engine house of Hanover Fire Co., but being far beyond the borough limits, the consent of Burgess Sheely for the company to respond had to be obtained. The Burgess could not be located at once, and in the meantime a bucket brigade got busy and extinguished the flames. The kitchen was partially destroyed. The loss is not large.

THE MARKETS.

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouses corrected weekly by J. Geo. Wolf's Sons:—

	Per Bu.
Good Wheat	1.15
Corn	.85
Rye	.70
Oats	.40

RETAIL PRICES.

	Per 100
Wheat Brau	\$1.45
Corn and Oats Chop	1.50
Middlings	1.60
Timothy hay	.70
Rye chop	1.85
Baled straw	.50
	Per bbl.
Flour	\$6.25
Western flour	6.50
	Per bu.
Wheat	\$1.40
Corn	.90
Western oats	.65
Baled shavings	55c per bale

PRODUCE AT WHOLESALE.

Butter firm, good demand, 18c. in the print; eggs, market firm, 19c. live fowl, 11c.; calves 5 to 6c.

PRODUCE AT RETAIL.

Eggs 21c per dozen; butter 22c per pound

BOROUGH STATEMENT

Statement of the Borough of Gettysburg for year ending February 28th, 1909.
 Actual indebtedness \$ 3,373.00
 Funded debt 9,740.00
 Floating debt 2,575.00
 Valuation of taxable property 1,279,195.00
 The assets of the corporation 1,851.31
 The character and value thereof:
 Outstanding taxes, Borough \$242.17
 Special 1,609.14
 Real estate 4.00
 Personal property 49.00
 The date of maturity of the funded debt is as follows:
 Bond issue approved July 18th 1885 mature Oct. 1st 1935.
 Bond issue approved Dec. 21st 1899 mature April 1st 1949.

J. R. HAMILTON, President of Council.
 C. B. FITZMAURICE, Secretary.
 F. A. HOLZWORTH, Burgess.

EXECUTOR'S SALE

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
 ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 1909, the undersigned, Executors of the last will of W. W. Hafer, deceased, late of Berwick borough, Adams county, Pa., will offer at public sale on the premises the following described real estate: A Tract of Land known as the "Temple's Grant Farm," on which Tetra's Grist now lies situated in Lattimore road, Reading township, Adams Co., Pa., on the road leading from the Mt. Mount Church to the Berwick Church, adjoining land of John Reiser, Mrs. Annie Myers, Wm. Leas, Geo. Zell and others, about 1 mile from the farm, good well of water at base of hill, Perches, more or less. The improvements consist of a two-story weatherboarded house, large barn, hog pen, wagon shed, implement house and other out-buildings, small orchard on the farm, good well of water at base of hill, a frame house on farm close to creek, sale to commence at one o'clock p. m., twenty-five per cent of purchase money to be paid on day of sale and the balance on credit, 2 1/2 years, 4 per cent, with interest, and a first mortgage lien. Attendance will be given and full terms of sale made known by

EMMA W. HAFFER, CHAS. S. DUNCAN, Executors.

PUBLIC SALE

ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 1909, the undersigned, interior house keeping, will sell her Household Goods in Mummusburg, Adams county, as follows: Six cupboards, bedsteads, tables, 1 with six legs, 1 extra-long table, 2 1/2 dozen chairs, 1 doz. wood plank porch chairs, 1 rocking chair, 1 chair, 1 lounge, 1 settee, Clock, dresser, book case and pipe, ten-plate stove and pipe, 2 yards of carpet, lot of oil cloth, chair cushions, rug, 2 mirrors, lot of pictures, 2 lamps, 12 of tin, small copper kettle, good milk trough, barrel of good vinegar, 2 tubs, lot of barrels, lot of benches and other articles not herein mentioned. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m., when terms will be made known by

MAGDALENA MCKLEY, Geo. J. Martz, Auctioneers.

Notice to the Public!

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he has quit doing Custom Work at his mill. The machinery is all For Sale Cheap at prices we can get at the factory by reshipping them. Webster Hull has bought our grain cleaning machine, so we will clean no grain this season. We have gone into the shoe trade again and our trade has grown to such an extent that all our time is required in the store so we have given up the mill business.

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GETTYSBURG SCHOOL ACCOUNT

JAMES G. WEANER, Treasurer, in account with the Gettysburg School District for the year ending June, 1909.
 DR.
 Bal. in hands of Treas. at last settlement \$293.89
 Outstanding tax for 1904 14.49
 Outstanding tax for 1905 97.33
 Outstanding tax for 1906 2002.25
 State appropriation, Reg. 2923.68
 State appropriation, High School 237.50
 Received from tuition 273.00
 Tax duplicate, 1905 3026.76
 Percentage for 1903 129.12
 Gettysburg Nat. Bank (loan) 3590.00
 Amount due treasurer 26.83
 Total \$1963.63

CR.
 Teachers' salaries \$5013.07
 Teachers attending Co. In. 130.00
 Secretary's salary 125.00
 Treasurer's salary 75.00
 Janitor's salary 141.00
 Trust officer's salary 125.00
 Insurance 151.47
 Repairs and material 73.21
 Furniture 63.82
 Books and supplies 98.92
 Coal and wood 533.52
 Water rent 30.22
 Gas 13.03
 Electric current 52.43
 Postage and telephone 25.00
 Auditing accounts 6.25
 Dues down and Hdw. 75.74
 Printing 40.82
 Freight and express 21.24
 Labor 25.00
 Window shades and flags 14.25
 Discount 33.67
 Note Gettysburg Nat. bank 3990.00
 Substitutes 21.22
 Auditing Directors' Convention 24.00
 W. H. Frock, over paid 22.8
 Taxes 159.00
 Bonds 300.00
 Placing desks 15.75
 Lamps 16.20
 Plumbing 122.07
 Street sprinkling 10.00
 Ziegler & Co. lighting 10.00
 Rent 140.00
 Extra exonerations on tax duplicate 1904 45.00
 Outstanding taxes 1905 2140.25
 Abatement, 1905 269.51
 Collector's fees 258.83
 Exonerations, 1905 357.33
 Total \$2420.91

BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT

DR.
 Bal. in hands of Treas. at last settlement 143.13
 From sale of bonds 3990.00
 Accumulated interest on bonds 124.87
 Loss 2900.00
 Outstanding taxes for 1908-07 436.10
 Tax duplicate for 1905 4733.03
 Percentage for 1905 59.77
 Total \$2210.91
 CR.
 W. H. Johns, contractor, 15103.75
 A. B. Pak, heating and plumbing 2282.40
 Lot 2300.00
 R. A. Starr, Jr., architect 751.98
 Electric wiring 148.00
 Bonds paid 1300.00
 Corporations 550.00
 Int. on notes 190.00
 Discount 18.65
 Outstanding taxes for 1907-08 777.17
 Additional exonerations for 1901-03-04-05 165.74
 Abatement for 1905 168.39
 Collector's fees 106.44
 Exonerations for 1905 269.51
 Bal. in hands of Treas. 197.94
 Total \$2129.91
 Liabilities for building purposes \$24700.00
 Liabilities for school purposes 709.09
 Total \$25369.09
 Resources June 22, 1909 \$3058.55

We the undersigned auditors of the borough of Gettysburg, Pa., do hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of James O. Weaner, Treasurer of the Board of School Directors of the Borough of Gettysburg, and find them to be correct. That the School Fund the sum of \$56.88. That there is due the School Board upon the Building Fund \$197.94.

GEO. A. TAYLOR, J. H. PECHER, A. B. FABER, M. A. MILLER, Auditors.

PUBLIC SALE

OF LUMBER AND SLAB WOOD
 ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 1909, the undersigned will sell the home farm of Isaac Peck, in Liberty township, along road leading from Fairfield to Emmitsburg, about three miles from Fairfield and three and a half miles north of Emmitsburg, the following: 4500 sq. ft. of good square boards, 2400 sq. ft. of scantling, 244 4x4 and 1x6, 4500 sq. ft. of oak plank 1 1/2 and 2 inches thick, 600 locust posts, 200 sawed posts, 30 cords of dry slab wood, sawed, sold to begin at 1 p. m., where saw mill is located back of sheep barn and to be continued to another part of farm same afternoon. \$1000 credit on all sums over \$5, note being given with approved security.

J. M. Caldwell, Auct.

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GETTYSBURG DEPARTMENT STORE

REPORT.

OF the condition of the "FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GETTYSBURG," at Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$81,991.52
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	228.19
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	52,750.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	78,945.27
Other real estate owned	980.36
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	10,444.05
Due from approved reserve agents	62,978.28
Checks and other cash items	2,728.23
Notes of other National Banks	1,885.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	137.16
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$2,365.23
Legal-tender notes	29,020.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	4,650.00
Total	1,258,900.97

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	150,000.00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	21,258.26
National Bank notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to other National Banks	245.10
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	8,489.42
Dividends unpaid	559.00
Individual deposits subject to check	163,317.10
Demand certificates of deposit	715,071.00
Total	1,258,900.97

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, ss. I, SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1909.
 H. G. WILLIAMS, N. P.

Correct Attest:
 ALEX. SPANGLER,
 D. G. MINTER,
 W. S. ADAMS,
 Directors.

REPORT

OF the condition of the NATIONAL BANK OF ARENDTSTVILLE, at Arendtville, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$30,901.24
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	6,250.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	250.00
Individual deposits	12,383.13
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	4,552.07
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	252.78
Due from approved reserve agents	5,057.23
Notes on other National Banks	660.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	30.33
Lawful money reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	1,564.85
Legal tender notes	1,870
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas. (5 per cent. of circulation)	212.50
Total	\$64,489.15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	581.58
National bank notes outstanding	6,250.00
Individual deposits subject to check	11,888.81
Time certificates of deposit	20,788.76
Total	\$64,489.15

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, ss. I, L. H. RICE, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. H. RICE, Cashier.
 Correct Attest:
 DAVID F. ROSE,
 W. E. WOLFF,
 ARTHUR ROBERTS,
 Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1909.
 P. S. ORNER,
 Notary Public.
 My commission expires Mar. 10, 1913.

NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County.

Assigned estate of Chas. S. Mumper and wife. In the matter of the application of Chas. S. Mumper that Pius A. Miller, assignee, be authorized and directed to recover and transfer to the assignor all the assigned estate in his hands said undisposed claims upon the assigned property and estate having been paid or released. Notice is hereby given that said application will be finally heard by the Court on 23rd day of August, 1909, when if no objections are filed the final decree of re-conveyance will be made by the Court.

W. A. TAUGHINBAUGH, Prothonotary.

NOTICE

The first and final account of Charles H. Dutera, assigned in trust for benefit of creditors of S. H. Robert, of Littlestown Borough, Adams county, Pa., has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams Co., Pa., and will be confirmed by said court on the 23rd of August, 1909, unless cause be shown to the contrary.

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PUBLIC SALE

ON SATURDAY, AUG. 14, 1909, the un-
der-signed administrator of the estate of Mar-
tin E. Bollinger, late of Union township, Ad-
ams county, Pa., deceased, by virtue of an
order of sale issued out of the Orphans'
Court of Adams County, and to him direct-
ed, will sell on tract No. 3 in Union town-
ship, Adams county, Pa., on the road that
leads from the Hanover and Littlestown
pikes at Stierner's Creek to the Littlestown
and Westminster pike, 1-4 mile from the
former, 2-1/2 miles east from Littlestown,
the following tracts of land:

Tract No. 1. A mill property containing
74 acres and 120 perches of land adjoining
land of C. J. DeHone, Lewis D. Sell, John
Miller and others. This is a desirable prop-
erty improved with a 2 1-2 story stone
house, barn, wash house and other
buildings, grist mill with saw mill attached,
with 6 acres of growing oak and chestnut
timber, a well of never failing water at the
house.

Tract No. 2. A small farm containing
52 acres and 60 perches of land adjoining
tract No. 1. John Miller, Jacob Bair, Reu-
ben Bair. This is a valuable property, im-
proved with a two-story brick house, barn,
spring house and other buildings, a
spring and never failing well of water at
the house. There is an abundance of fruit
on the property consisting of peaches, plums,
apples, etc. There is about 4 acres of oak
and chestnut timber on the tract.

Tract No. 3. A small property containing
2 acres and 10 perches of farming land,
more or less, adjoining tract No. 1, Reuben
J. Bair and C. J. DeHone. This is a desir-
able property, improved with a two-story
frame dwelling house, a stable and other
necessary buildings, a well of never failing
water at the house.

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Surplus " " " 90,000.00

Total Business last report, 1909, \$1,268,925.47
Surplus " " " 150,000.00

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WIDOWER JUDD'S HOUSEKEEPER.

The Surprise That Was in Store
For Two Designing Women.

By ANNE HEILMAN.

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Mrs. Platt sat on her front porch,
busy in braiding a mat. She was one
of those women one likes to have
about. There was a certain comfort-
ing presence in her large figure and
comely face. Although the face when
at rest was somewhat sad, yet it was
one of those beaming faces that seem
ful of love for the whole world—that
is, for all whom she admitted into her
world. For those outside of its bounds
she had no use. Just now her thoughts
were busy with her neighbor, in whose
direction she sent her glances.

"Peter's getting his supper early,"
she mused. "It's pretty lonely for him,
but I hope he won't be inveigled into
taking Serena Lamb for a housekeeper.
I never was one to promote gossip, but
all Clifton knows that her reputation
for dressing far outdoes her skill in
housekeeping. If I thought—" Just
then she turned her head and caught
sight of Mrs. Lamb walking up the
path.

"Too bad to see that nice home going
to rack and ruin," Mrs. Lamb began
after settling herself in the rocker. "I
hear it's fairly swarming with mice.
Peter only uses two rooms. Isn't it a
wonder he ain't picked out a house-
keeper afore this?"

"I've an idea," said Mrs. Platt, en-
deavoring to speak unconcernedly.
"That he'll probably ask you—"

"Me!" interrupted Mrs. Lamb in an
astonished tone. "Me! And with such
a famous cook as you next door! Trust
a man to get a cook when he's free to
pick and choose. Sarah wasn't much
on the cooking, and I guess he'll want
a change."

"David and I spent twenty-five happy
years in this house," sighed Mrs.
Platt. "It'd come hard for me to leave
it."

"And I couldn't possibly leave my
place," protested Mrs. Lamb. "And
the garden, doing so nicely too. You'd
oughter see my strawberries, Emeline.
Peter says they are the finest he ever
saw. I'd bring you over a saucerful,
but as Peter was going on so about
your getting so stout I thought I
wouldn't encourage your appetite any-
way." Looking keenly at her friend to
assure herself that the blow had struck
home, "I must be getting on."

Serena faded forth slowly along the
grassy lane. "Emeline don't care
shucks for Peter Judd," she shrewdly
conjectured. "David Platt's money is
more to her than any living man. But
she'd take the place for no other reason
than to keep me out of it. As if any
one would look at her twice when I'm
around," and she glowed with a fine
satisfaction as she compared herself
to Mrs. Platt.

To be sure, Emeline was an umpire
on all the arts of housekeeping; her
cookery was town talk, while she had
never become proficient in the art, but
there were other ways of reaching a
man's heart. Serena knew, because
she had proved it twice.

In fact, neither lady had deceived the
other. Each knew the other, from
widely different motives, stood ready
at a moment's notice to respond to
Peter Judd's call for a housekeeper.
Each knew that Clifton was wonder-
ing which of the two widows who
lived on either side of Peter would be
called eventually to fill the departed
Sarah's place, for the custom prevailed
in Clifton when a man was, in the wis-
dom of Providence, bereaved to hunt
out some widow, respected by the com-
munity, to undertake the duties of
housekeeper, and generally, after a de-
cent period of mourning, the twain be-
came one.

"If Serena makes up her mind to
have Peter Judd have to give in," in-
terposed Mrs. Platt. "She's already
married two that didn't in the least
want her. She's comfortably off, too,
and don't need to leave her home. I
wouldn't be so set against it if I
didn't know 'twas her that interfered
between him and Floretta. They
were twenty years ago. Peter Judd
and married Sarah, out of pure spite,
and Floretta took that good for nothing
Cy Blakey. If ever two people
were cut out for the another Peter
and Floretta were. Well, as he's held
out again Serena for over a year he
may escape for good. I'll not worry
any more."

But she did. The chance and appar-
ently careless remarks that Serena let
fall, as if an understanding existed be-
tween herself and Peter Judd, fretted
Emeline's spirit. In the depths of her
honest soul she believed that Peter
was a regular caller at the Lamb
home. She waited for the announce-
ment of Serena's engagement as for a
blow that was sure to fall.

Still, when it came she was not pre-
pared for it. One afternoon she had
just taken her accustomed seat on the
porch when the gate opened, and Mrs.
Lamb swept up the path with an un-
usual air of importance.

"Land, ain't it hot!" she exclaimed.
"Such a muss as I've got into," care-
fully arranging the folds of her new
organdie skirt before sitting down. Her
tone rang with triumph. Mrs. Platt
felt the change in the atmos-
phere, and all her world darkened.

"There's all that house of Peter's to
be gone over this hot weather. Not a
bite of cleaning since Sarah died. Such

a looking place! And it must be all rid-
up by the middle of September. I just
ran in to ask if your paint and white-
wash brushes were in good order.
Peter said as how you mentioned hav-
ing a supply of 'em when you offered
to keep house for him months ago.
My, how red your face is, Emeline!
You hadn't ought to wear pink. Now,
if I do say it, I've a complexion that'll
stand any color."

"I didn't exactly offer"—stammered
Mrs. Platt, tears of mortification smart-
ing her eyes.

"Oh, well, it is all past and done
with," interrupted Serena airily. "I
just had to give in. He wouldn't take
a 'no.' Well, if you'll lend the brushes
I'll be goin'."

Armed with the brushes, Serena de-
parted, every movement of the organ-
die proclaiming victory.

In the days that followed Mrs. Platt
gave much time to sitting on the front
porch watching her friend's progress
in the housecleaning line. Serena called
seldom now, and the time passed slowly.

"I just ran in to ask your opinion
of these samples," began Serena one
day in September. "We're going to
have new carpets for the double par-
lors. Don't you prefer the green?"
Serena wore her best dress. "I shall
need a new one soon," she said com-
placently, smoothing down its silken
folds.

"I suppose the affair'll come off
soon," ventured Mrs. Platt after the
merits of greens and reds in carpets
had been duly canvassed, but Serena
only smiled consciously as she gath-
ered up the samples and departed.

"I suppose it'll come off after har-
vest," mused Mrs. Platt despondently,
meaning Peter's wedding.

One afternoon as Mrs. Platt was set-
ting her table for tea she was sur-
prised by a call from Peter Judd.

"Coming to invite me to the wed-
ding," she surmised as he sauntered
up the path. "Well, if it's foreor-
dained he should marry Serena I'll not
be spiteful about it. Sit down and
have a cup of tea, Peter," she urged,
cutting a great, fat, shaking, four-
storied jelly cake into generous slices.

Peter Judd, a large man with a
pleasant, florid face, seated himself
and absorbed tea and cake with much
satisfaction.

"You always were a master hand at
cake, Emeline," he commented affably.
"I never saw your beat. It's some-
thing in that line that I called to see
you about."

Was it possible that he was going to
ask her to initiate Serena in the diffi-
cult art? Mrs. Platt's face clouded.
"Well," she asked in a strained voice.
"I want that you should do a little
baking for me. Could you?"

"Do some baking for you?" she
gasped. "For the land's sake! When?"
Peter reached for another piece of
cake. "For the next Tuesday and the
balance of the week. You'll know
what's needed."

The wedding was to take place Tues-
day, then. Emeline's world was a tem-
porary blank. "Serena wouldn't like
it," she faltered.

"What if she don't?" exploded Mr.
Judd. "She can't cook. And I want
something decent in the house when
I get back from Minooka."

"Back from Minooka?" Emeline
asked in a dazed fashion. "Are you
going away?"

"Why, of course! Going to Minooka
to get married. Don't you know that
Floretta lives there?"

"Floretta! Are you—is she?"

"Her man's dead, if that's what
you're trying to get at. Drank him-
self to death, I reckon. I thought you
knew all along."

Mrs. Platt poured more tea with a
shaking hand. A sudden burst of sun-
shine illuminated her world. "Does
Miss Lamb know?"

"Not she," returned Peter, begin-
ning another attack on the cake. "Tain't
none of her business, anyway. I got
her to clean up before Floretta comes.
That's all I wanted of her. Will you
do them things, Emeline—the cakes
and such?"

"Yes, yes," cried Mrs. Platt. Her
voice was joyful, her face aglow. All
the gloom of the past few weeks van-
ished as if by magic. "I'll do more'n
that, Peter. I'm so tickled to have
Floretta for a neighbor again that I'll
invite a lot of her old friends here for
Tuesday. And I'll have the best din-
ner spread out that you ever sat down
to."

Sure Enough Tale.

In a certain private school there is a
small boy who is always cheerfully
miles behind everybody else. He is
not a dull boy, but learning does not
appeal to him as being a thing espe-
cially to be desired. Recently the
teacher told the class in composition
that on the next day she would expect
each of them to be able to write a
short anecdote. She explained with
great care the meaning of the word
anecdote, and next day when she called
the class up to write all but the lag-
gard went at once to work.

"Why don't you write an anecdote,
Rob?" asked the teacher.

"I forgot what an anecdote is," said
Rob, undisturbed.

"I explained to you yesterday, Rob,
and you ought to remember," said the
teacher, a bit out of patience. "An
anecdote is a tale. Now write."

Rob bent over his slate and, with
much twisting of brow and writhing
of lip, crawled out his task. When the
slates were collected his was at the
very top of the heap. The teacher
picked it up, and this is what she read:

"Yesterday we had soup made from
the anecdote of an ox."—London Mail

Helped Some.

"He got a check to his career."
"Indeed! Too bad!"
"Not at all."
"Why not?"
"It was for \$10,000."

A Question of Color.
The enormous difficulties of color
terminology are illustrated by a cus-
tomer's "exact statement of her re-
quirements" in a large Deansgate es-
tablishment one day. "Something in
blue taffeta silk, please. I don't want
anything as dark as navy blue nor any-
thing as light as Cambridge blue, but
something darker than Eton blue and
yet a little off from an electric blue
and hardly a sky blue—more like a
robin's egg blue and yet not quite so
light, but not an indigo blue, but some-
thing like this; I think they call it
morning glory blue, which is something
like a turquoise blue and yet not quite
so light as that and yet not so dark
quite as this aquamarine blue nor so
light as baby blue. Now, if you have
anything in the shade I have described,
please show it to me." The intelligent
assistant unrolled a length, a cross be-
tween the blue devils and the deep sea,
with the remark: "This is the shade
of blue you require, madam. It is
called 'London milk'."—Dyer and Col-
lor Printer

The Oriental Mind.
Frederick S. Isham, the author, told
the following to illustrate the double
dye of duplicity of the oriental mind.
Mr. Isham was in Pekin. Passing the
arch to the Baron von Kettler, sup-
posed to be an arch of contrition for
the foul assassination of that brave of-
ficial, the novelist asked a Chinaman
who spoke a little English:

"You know why this monument was
erected, I suppose?"

"Oh, yes," was the ready reply in
dialect, "to commemorate a triumphal
deed, the death of a very powerful for-
eigner."

"Commemorate! And is that"—in
amazement—"what the people gener-
ally think was the purpose of this monu-
ment?"

"Why not?" The Celestial's face was
unmovable, but a suggestion of sar-
donic humor seemed to flash from his
slant eyes. "Chinese people much like
monuments."

And, indeed, they seemed to bask in
the shade of it with much satisfac-
tion.

Venetian Coffee Houses.

The first cup of coffee was drunk in
Europe at Venice toward the end of
the sixteenth century. The Venetian
chronicler Morosini in his records of
the events in the year 1585 mentions
the beverage called "cavee" drunk by
the Turks and noted for its anti-sog-
gerie qualities. In the year 1591 a
Venetian doctor introduced the berries
from Egypt, taught his countrymen
how to crush them and brew the be-
verage, and the use of coffee soon be-
came general—so much so, in fact, that
Venice was full of coffee houses where
the people filled away their days drink-
ing the aromatic beverage. A pecu-
liarity of the Venetian coffee houses
was that their patrons did not pay for
each cup of coffee they drank, but
settled their bills for all the coffee
consumed at the end of each year.
The regular price of a cup of coffee
was 5 soldi, about 2½ cents, and in
some of the old cafes of Venice today
the same price is still charged.—New
York Sun.

Awkward Compliment.

There is such a thing as being too
persistently complimentary. A candid
and well meaning professor who had
witnessed the performance of a little
play in a private house in which his
hostess had taken the leading part met
the lady as she came from behind the
curtain.

"Madam," he said, rushing up to her,
"you played excellently. That part fits
you to perfection."

"Oh, no, professor," said the lady
modestly. "A young and pretty wom-
an is needed for that part."

"But, madam," persisted the profes-
sor, "you have positively proved the
contrary!"—Pearson's Weekly.

Blamed the Planets.

In the middle of the fourteenth cen-
tury in Paris a new ordinance en-
joining the cleansing of the streets and
the shutting up of swine was carefully
neglected, as usual, and a terrible
plague was the consequence. The fac-
ulty of medicine, called upon for a
remedy by the king, sent to inform
him after long discussion that the
plague was the result of a hostile con-
junction of the planets Mars and Jupi-
ter.

The Cause of Drafts.

Why is it that windows and doors
are frequently ill fitting? There is
nothing wrong with the wood itself,
nor with the workmanship, as a rule,
nor with the fit, at the outset at least,
but the whole trouble is due to the
wood being unseasoned, or, rather,
only partially seasoned, at the time it
is made up.—Timber.

Optimistic.

"Is Jones an optimist?"
"Is he? He found a ticket entitling
him to a chance in an automobile
drawing the other day, and he is
building a garage."—Boston Transcript.

Answered.

Bobby—What's the simple life, pa?
Father—Doing your own work, my son.
Bobby—And what's the strenuous life?
Father—Doing some other fellow's
work. Now run along and play.

Reminders.

Mrs.—He said I reminded him of a
Greek goddess. Mr.—Huh! Mrs.—What
do I remind you of? Mr.—Of every
damned thing I overlook that you ask
me to do.—Cleveland Leader.

The temple of fame stands upon the
grave. The flame that burns upon its
altars is kindled from the ashes of
dead men.

LATEST NEWS OF COUNTY

FROM FAIRFIELD, ARENDTSVILLE AND OTHER SECTIONS.

A Big Family Reunion. Lad Badly Cuts Left Leg near Arendtsville.

BIG FAMILY REUNION.

FAIRFIELD, July 20.—The Eli Moore family reunion, the four sons and six daughters of the late Eli Moore and wife, not all having been together for many years, held a family reunion in the grove on the Witherow farm near Fairfield on last Friday, July 16. They are Howard of Fairfield, James of Fairfield, Walter of near Mummaburg, Harry of Marsh Creek, Mrs. Jennie Scott of Emmitsburg, Mrs. Margaret Roth of Fairfield, Mrs. Kate Storer and Miss Mary Moore of Fairfield, Mrs. Josephine Elker of Knoxville, Ill., and Mrs. Abbie Cunningham of Johnstonburg, Pa. These persons with their children and grandchildren to the number of forty-two, spent a delightful day in the shade along Middle Creek.

The Lutheran Mite Society will hold a festival on the public school grounds in Fairfield on Saturday evening, Aug. 7th.

The Fairfield baseball team will hold a festival on Saturday evening, July 24th on the school grounds. On the same day they will play the Arendtsville team in the afternoon at 2 o'clock on the Fairfield grounds.

The Fairfield baseball team won two victories recently. They defeated the Emmitsburg team at Emmitsburg on last Thursday by a score of 15 to 8. They also beat the Actives of Gettysburg on last Saturday on the Fairfield grounds by a score of 9 to 2.

Miss Elva Bear of New Holland, Lancaster county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William McCreary.

Mrs. James Cunningham of Johnstonburg is spending some time here among friends and relatives.

Mrs. Josephine Elker of Knoxville, Ill., is visiting among friends and relatives.

Robert Moore, wife and child, of Dixon, Ill., are visiting at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore.

Master Henry Haines of Maytown, is spending some time with aunt, Mrs. Dr. J. F. Mackley.

Rev. W. F. Moore, Superintendent of Bethany Orphan's Home at Womelsdorf, together with his wife and daughter, paid a visit to Dr. and Mrs. Mackley last week.

CREASY TO ADDRESS GRANGE.

ARENDTSVILLE, July 19.—The South Mountain Grange of this place will hold a picnic of Friday, Aug. 13. Hon. M. T. Creasy will deliver an address. Everyone welcome.

Messrs. A. F. Trostle & Son who are now operating two steam threshers report the new wheat turning out well.

Several days ago when Morris, the 18 year old son of Mac Elholtz of Menallen township, was cutting wood, through a mistake he cut a gash in his left leg between the knee and ankle 7 inches long. Dr. Merriman of this place was called in and rendered the surgical aid.

Miss Ada Lower of Allegheny City, while on her way to New York City where she has taken a position as shorthand and typewriter, spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. G. Plank in this place.

Miss Clara A. Smelson of Altoona is a visitor at the home of her uncle Harry A. Smelson in this town.

Miss Margaret Cluck and Miss Carrie Shetter and Mr. Geo. Peters of Harrisburg, and Mr. Harry Brown of Philadelphia, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hoffman on Pearl street in this place.

Miss Alverta Cluck is visiting friends in Harrisburg.

Rev. Hesson will hold his Harvest Home service Sunday morning, July 25th.

John Schlosser of Mt. Holly was a recent visitor among relatives here.

AGED BUSINESS MAN.

EAST BERLIN, July 19.—A dispatch in the Philadelphia "Record" of last week told of an old man, Rufus J. Lackland, President of the Boatman's Bank of St. Louis, who is 90 years old and goes to his bank every day and statement was made that Lackland is the oldest financier in the United States. Adams county can beat this record. Charles Prosser of Latimore township, Adams county, is past 96 years and works on the saw mill every day, doing a good day's work. Your correspondent has known Mr. Prosser for the last 50 years and has frequently seen him at work on this line in his saw and chopping mill, bearing the burden of years with ease.

Henry Sunday, Sr., of this place, has sold his farm of 38 acres in Paradise township, York county, on the other side of Beaver Creek and adjoining the borough line of this place, to John Burgard, Jr., of same township, for \$3200 cash.

The East Berlin Milling Company has bought over 2000 bushels of new wheat at \$1.12.

Mrs. Beers of Dayton, O., is visiting friends in this town. She was a daughter of the late George Natchen of Cumberland county. Her uncle, William Natchen, married a daughter of the late Michael Hanes of this county, and another daughter of Hanes was married to Thomas N. Dicks, father of Hon. W. Howard Dicks. Mrs. Beers was an officer of Ohio troops in the Civil War.

HAULING LUMBER.

BUCHANAN VALLEY, July 19.—James Kimple's team was engaged last week in hauling lumber to Caledonia Park. Mr. Kimple has taken the contract to furnish the lumber and build a stable there for the accommodation of horses for those who wish to take the trolley to Chambersburg and also visitors to the Park.

Master Paul Clemens of Hagerstown is visiting with grandmother, Mrs. Rebecca Brady at the home of her son, John E. Brady.

The berries will not be very plentiful if we do not soon have rain.

The showers all go by, along the mountain and we need rain very badly here.

Miss Gertrude Kimple is visiting her aunt near McKnightstown and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi O'Brien of Hilltown.

Samuel Irwin and Miss Sallie Kimple are on the sick list.

TEACHERS ELECTED.

IRON SPRINGS, July 18.—Edward Reese is spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. David Smith at Hagers-town, Md.

Mrs. Cora Martin and children of Fountain Dale visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eph. Sanders last week.

The Hamiltonban township school board on Tuesday the 13th, elected the following teachers for the coming term: Iron Springs, Wilson Hammerbaugh, Fairfield Station, Lora Sharr, Mt. Union, Harry Peckham, Pine Hill, Hill Rock, Fountain Dale, Lela Cook, Weeping Willow, Pearl, McCreary, Pine Hill Chas. Frey, Mr. Hope W. F. Watson, Tract Edna Miller, Ottumwa, Ira Lady, Mr. Pleasant Ruth Moore, Cold Springs, Mr. Shaybaugh. The schools will open August 30th.

Mrs. Eph. Sanders is very poorly at this time.

Enmanuel Izer attended the Reformed reunion at Pen-Mar on Thursday last.

Mrs. J. A. Spangler visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wertz at Hem-on, also attended the funeral of Dr. Diller from York Springs at the same time.

DEATH OF INFANT

HAMILTONBAN TWP., July 18.—Wilson Lee Kump, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kump, died on Sunday morning, July 11, aged 4 months and 6 days. The funeral was held on Tuesday of last week, sermon being preached by Rev. Morris, at the Mt. Hope United Brethren Church, and interment at Flohr's graveyard. He leaves to mourn his loss father and mother, grandparents, uncles and aunts.

Samuel Shindeldecker, while cutting wood at his wood pile last week, in picking up a stick found a big copper-headed snake 3-1/2 feet long lying along the piece of wood.

John Kaughman of Aram was the guest of his daughter Miss Dora Nindie.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shindeldecker took possession of their new home last Friday.

Jacob Kauffman and wife of Aram attended the funeral of their nephew W. L. Kump.

Mrs. Margaret Bigham and grandson Harold visited her daughter Mrs. Fannie Shindeldecker last week.

Miss Grace Daywalt does not improve, her condition being serious.

The people in this section are busy harvesting.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE

ORTTANNA, July 19.—Quarterly Conference will be held in the M. E. Church at Orttanna, on July 24 in the evening, and preaching by District Superintendent on Sunday morning at 10 a. m.

C. J. Deardorff has quite a large acreage of grain for one farm, having 85 acres in wheat and rye, of which a large amount has been threshed.

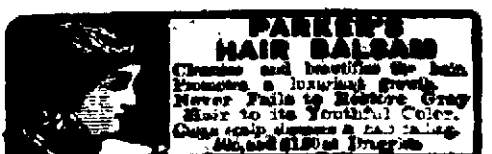
A festival will be held at the M. E. Church on Saturday August 14. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Catharine Stultz has purchased the Keady property in Orttanna on private terms. She gets immediate possession, and will remove to property in a month or two.

It is common to take off your hat to a stranger, but a young man of this community was forced to remove the shoes from his feet.

FOR SALE.—A good farm of 121 acres four miles north of Gettysburg, good brick house, weatherboarded barn and out-buildings, some fruit and woodland, running water. Price \$3200. Apply to

Martin Winter, Gettysburg, Pa.



Proclamation

To the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables in the different Boroughs and Townships in the County of Adams—Greeting.

KNOW YE, that in pursuance of a precept to me directed under the seal and seal of the Honorable S. McC. Swager, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the 5th Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Adams and Fulton, and by virtue of his office of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of Capital and other offenders therein, and in the General Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and G. H. Trostle and G. D. Smith, Esqs. Judges of the said county of Adams, You and each of you are hereby required to be and appear in your own proper persons with your Records, Recognizances, Examinations and other pertinent facts, before the Judges aforesaid, at Gettysburg, at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Delivery and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be holden in the County of Adams, for the trial of the said MONDAY, 22d AUGUST, 1909, being the 1st day of the month of August, said day, then and there to do those things to which your several offices appertain.

ELIAS FISSEL, Sec'y.

List of Jurors

GRAND JURORS.

List of Grand Jurors drawn July 5th, 1909, for Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, to be held at Gettysburg, in and for the County of Adams, the Fourth MONDAY, 22d AUGUST, A. D. 1909.

Adams, Samuel, gent. Gettysburg 1st ward.
Beck, Noah, carpenter, Reading twp.
Brane, Ephraim, farmer, Tyrone twp.
Chick, John C. farmer, Franklin twp.
Dangler, John, farmer, Tyrone twp.
Fronmeyer, Frank M., farmer, Straban twp.
Pink, Ephraim, farmer, New Oxford twp.
Herbst, William F., farmer, Highland twp.
Hart, Jacob, carpenter, Fairfield twp.
Hinkle, John W., laborer, Menallen twp.
Hummelbaugh, Wilson, teacher, Hamiltonban twp.
Mange, Wm. S., miller, Germany twp.
Munro, A. B., merchant, East Berlin twp.
Muller, Geo. A., carpenter, McSherrystown twp.
Money, Wm. A., farmer, Straban twp.
McLean, Wm. T., laborer, Butler twp.
Pittenger, L. C., undertaker, Tyrone twp.
Roth, Henry, black, Hagerstown twp.
Reider, C. L., farmer, Union twp.
Shultz, George, farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Shaybaugh, J. Wm., Huntington twp.
Smith, Wm. farmer, Germany twp.
Trost, Charles, farmer, Menallen twp.
Taylor, George A., clerk, Gettysburg, Ord. ward.

PETIT JURORS.

List of Petit Jurors drawn July 5th, 1909, for Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, to be held at Gettysburg, in and for the County of Adams, the Fourth MONDAY, 22d AUGUST, A. D. 1909, and to serve two weeks if necessary.

Bolinger, Milton, farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Baker, Wm. H., farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Byer, V. Henry, laborer, Littlestown twp.
Byer, Alexander, coachmaker, New Oxford twp.
Dangler, Charles, farmer, Freedom twp.
Brenigton, W. H., farmer, Butler twp.
Green, Milton, farmer, Huntington twp.
Puckey, D. B., grain merchant, Littlestown twp.
Duchay, Charles E., carpenter, J. P. Gettysburg twp.
Cook, Wm., farmer, Menallen twp.
Lyon, J. W., miller, Gettysburg 3rd ward.
Frazier, Chas. F., farmer, Franklin twp.
Eung, Harry, carpenter, East Berlin twp.
Fink, B. H., farmer, Oxford twp.
Frazier, T. P., tailor, New Oxford twp.
Henry, John, gent., Franklin twp.
Haversock, Chas. H., farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Hartman, Edw., W. teacher, Franklin twp.
Himler, A. C., farmer, Mountpleasant twp.
Hill, J. L., farmer, Liberty twp.
Lefew, L. L., Augt., Latimore twp.
Litter, George, blacksmith, New Oxford twp.
Lewew, E. B., gent., York Springs twp.
Manchy, Edw. F., sand man, Gettysburg 3rd ward.
Munro, H. M., retired minister, Gettysburg 1st ward.
Muller, John W., farmer, Latimore twp.
Murch, Geo. D., merchant, Reading twp.
Neiderer, Phil A., carpenter, McSherrystown twp.
Pittenger, Harry, farmer, Menallen twp.
Pittenger, Lewis, farmer, Hamiltonban twp.
Robert, Michael, gent., East Berlin twp.
Redding, Nicholas, carpenter, Gettysburg 1st ward.
Rock, D. B., tinner, Fairfield twp.
Snyder, John A., farmer, Cumberland twp.
Seli, David G., farmer, Union twp.
Schaeffer, George A., guide, Gettysburg 2nd ward.
Spangler, D. Oliver, farmer, Germany twp.
Smick, George E., farmer, Huntington twp.
Shryock, George, farmer, Liberty twp.
Spalding, Edw. D., harness maker, Littlestown twp.
Shaybaugh, E. E., printer, Gettysburg 2nd ward.
Smith, Morris C., cigarmaker, McSherrystown twp.
Topper, Mervin U., farmer, Straban twp.
Wolf, William, laborer, Franklin twp.
Willett, D. H. C., cigarmaker, McSherrystown twp.
Weikert, Mahlen, farmer, Highland twp.
Waltman, Henry, farmer, Hamilton twp.
Wirt, Harry D., farmer, Straban twp.

FOR SALE.—My desirable house on corner of Buford and Seminary Avenues. Apply to George A. Taylor, Eckert's Store, Gettysburg.

G. W. Weaver & Son

The Leaders

Gettysburg, Penn'a.

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A Price Bulletin from our JULY REDUCTION SALE

THIS is a partial list of the many values we are willing to distribute, through this Clearance Sale, in the beginning of the half year. The store is good for shopping and the prices very tempting. The list below does not begin to give all the reduction prices; read carefully, however, and the very thing you most need may be quoted. If not, come any way, and likely you will find it priced at less than the usual.

Women's Outer Wear

At \$13.75 for tailor made spring style Coat Suits sold at \$27.50
At \$10.50 for tailor made spring style Coat Suits sold at \$21.00
At \$10.00 for tailor made spring style Coat Suits sold at \$20.00
\$5.00--Suits worth \$20 to \$30--in good styles
a little alteration would bring them to the height of style.

A few high class Cotton Tailored Suits, 2 pieces and 3 pieces, reduced as follows:

\$18.50 and \$20 Suits, some white and some colored, full cotton reps, now \$14.75
\$8.50 and \$9 Suit, Linen Reps and Linene, now 6.75
\$4.75 and \$5 Suits, Linene, now 3.75

Madras and Percale Dresses, were \$1.50 and 1.60, reduced to 98c
Madras and Percale Dresses were \$2.50 and 2.90, reduced to \$1.98

Rich Princess and Two Piece Silk Foulard and Taffeta Dresses—

Were \$22.50 reduced to \$15.95 Were \$18.00 reduced to \$12.95
Were \$12.00 reduced to \$7.95—and others.

Messaline Taffeta Silk and Net Waists, greatly reduced—

Were \$5.75, variety of colors, Net and Messaline, at \$3.95
Were 7.50, Black Net over Silk, at 4.95
Were 3.75 and 5.00 variety, Net and Taffeta, at 2.95

Lingerie and Tailored Waists

1 Lot were \$1.50, 1.75 and 2.00 reduced to \$1.39 1 Lot were \$3 to 3.50 reduced to \$2.49
1 Lot were 98 cts. to \$1.25, reduced to 79 cts.

Dress Skirts

Great opportunity to get a serviceable Stylish Dress Skirt at a Saving.

\$ 4.75 to \$6.00 Cream Panamas \$3.85 \$11.00 Cream Voile and Batiste \$7.50
3.75 to 4.00 Colored and Black 2.95 5.00 to 6.00 Colored and Black 3.95
5.50 to 7.50 Colored and Black 4.85 10.00 to 12.00 Colored and Black 7.75

Black Petticoats

75c value, full made, Imitation of Heatherbloom 50c \$1.25 Imitation Heatherbloom 75c
\$2.25 Colored Heatherbloom \$1.59

Corsets

\$3.50 Lareasta Corsets at \$2.49 \$1.50 Thompson Glove Fitting at \$1.00
\$1.00 Thompson Glove Fitting at 79c. NEARLY ALL SIZES.

Wool Dress Goods Department

About 500 yards Remnants in great variety of colors and weaves reduced—1-3 and more. A great many piece goods at cut prices.

Silk Department

Waist lengths and small dress lengths, reduced fully 1-3 and more, in a variety of colors and qualities.

All \$1.00 and \$1.12 1-2 Colored Taffeta Silks now . . 85 cents
75c to \$1.00 SATIN FOULARDS, SPECIAL QUALITY, 50c and 60c.

MANY OTHER SPECIAL VALUES

10 and 12 1-2 Cotton Dress Goods, great variety, suitable for persons of all sizes, 6 1-4c.
12 1-2c Cotton Suitings, correct for Juniper or Princess Dresses, 8c.
3c Dark Gingham, full width, Shirting, checks and stripes, 6 1-4c.
12 and 12 1-2c Percales and Madras, Shirting and Drees Styles, 6 1-4c.
10 1-2c Lawns and Batistes, floral, stripes and checks, 9c.
12 1-2c Colored Linene, all colors, 9c.
15c Cotton Huck Towels, full size and Heavy, 10c.
\$1.00 Table Damask, 72 in. wide, elegant patterns, 80c.
\$3.00 Napkins to match, a trifle shopworn, \$2.38
\$3.00 Napkins, fresh new goods, odd patterns, \$2.50
50c Silver Bleached, all Lien Damask, 38c.
70c Unbleached Sheets, full size, heavy, 58c.
Black and White, 2 clasp, all Silk Gloves, double tip, were 50c., small sizes only, 29c.
16 Button White, Black, Tan, Silk, were \$2.00, 1.50, 1.25, all sizes, now 95c.
\$1.00 and 50c White, Black and Tan Lisle Gloves, now 39c.
16 Button Kid, in Tans and Browns, were \$3.50 now \$2.49
12 1-2c Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 9c.
\$1.25 Automobile Veils, Sewing Silk, 95c.
75c 8-4 Colored Dress Nets, Brown, Navy and Fancy, 50c.
\$1.25 Colored, Pink and Light Blue, Batiste Embroidered Bands, 88c.
40c Pink and Light Blue Persian, 48 inches wide, to match, 33c.
38c White Batiste with Colored Check for 25c.
Embroideries in All-Over-Flounce Edge and Bands reduced 1-3
\$5.00, 4.00 and 3.00 Bags, Elegant Shapes, Fine Leathers, \$1.90.
\$2.90 and 2.50 Silver Chain Bags, \$1.90.
10 and 15c Ladies Vests, Slightly Imperfect, 6 1-4c.
BY THE DOZEN YDS. ONLY—40, 50 to 75c Valenciennes Edges and Insertings, 25c.
30, 40 and 50c Valenciennes Edges and Insertings, 19c.
25 and 30c Valenciennes Edges and Insertings, 12c.
1-2 Price and Less, Clean Up of all kinds of Trimming Laces
8, 10 and 12c Real Linen Torchon Laces, 5c.
90 Pieces Taffeta and Fancy Sash Ribbons, value 21c to 40c., Sale Price 17 to 23c.
10c Cube Pins, Black, White and Fancy, 5c.
25c Silk Rubber Round Garter, 10c.
25c Package Stamped Doileys & Centre Pieces, complete with embroidery thread, 17c.
25c Misses Lace Hose, White, Black and Tan, 10c per pair.
1 Lot Childs and Misses Black Hose, were 25c to 33c., Closing Price 15c.
1 Lot Childs Lace Hose, Black and Tan, value 10 and 15c., at 5c.
50c Childs Rompers, Sweet, Orr & Co., 40c.
\$1.50 Cotton Taffeta Umbrellas, Fine Handles, \$1.00.

CLEARANCE IN CARPET DEPARTMENT—A few items to show the straws. Small rooms of Tapestry and Velvet Carpets, Greatly Reduced, Bring Your Measures.

...FIBRE RUGS...

COCO MATTING PORCH RUGS

Room Size Rugs, Tapestry, Axminster and Body Brussels reduced 15 Per Cent. to make room for new stock in September.

Best Japanese Matting, cut or full roll, was 28 and 30c per yard, at 21c.

Remnants of 8-4 Inlaid Linoleum, ranging in length from 2 to 5 yards, regular \$1.35 per square yard, at 90c per square yard.

Remnants Granite Linoleum, wear like Inlaid, no pattern, regular price 75c per sq. yd., at 60c.

48 Pairs Lace Curtains Reduced from \$1.00 to 85c.

REMNANTS and SHORTS all through the Stock are Marked for QUICK CLEARANCE.

Children's and Misses' Oxford REDUCTION SALE

...FROM...

July 26th to Aug. 7th

This sale includes EVERY PAIR of Infants, Childrens and Misses Oxfords in the Store: All Leathers—Patent, Gun Metal, Tan and Black Vici and Calh, White Canvas. EVERY SIZE.

....ABOUT 700 PAIRS....

And here are Prices that should Interest You:—

ALL 50 Cent	OXFORDS NOW	\$	40
75 and 80 Cent			.60
90 Ct. and \$1.00			.80
\$1.25 and \$1.30			1.00
\$1.50 and \$1.60			1.25
\$1.75			1.40
\$2.00			1.60

NEW GOODS THIS YEARS STOCK
THESE PRICES ONLY UNTIL AUG. 7

Men's and Women's Oxford Reduction Sale begins MONDAY, AUGUST 2ND.

ECKERT'S STORE,

"ON THE SQUARE."